

1fn 2183

Patent attorneys

October 9, 2007

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to the Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on October 9, 2007.

Gayle W. Chaney
Gayle W. Chaney
Date of Signature: 10/9/07

RICHARD E. JENKINS

JEFFREY L. WILSON

ARLES A. TAYLOR, JR.

GREGORY A. HUNT

BENTLEY J. OLIVE

CHRIS PERKINS, PH.D.

DAVID M. SIGMON

KIRBY A. TURNER

WESLEY A. SHEFFIELD

SCOTT C. MAYHEW

BENJAMIN J. AITKEN

K. JAY KLINCK

LAURA L. KIEFER, PH.D.

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Re: U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 10/088,988 for
METHOD AND DEVICE FOR PROCESSING CONDITIONAL JUMP
INSTRUCTIONS IN A PROCESSOR WITH PIPELINED ARCHITECTURE
Our File No. 1406/52

Sir:

Please find enclosed in connection with the subject U.S. patent application the following documents:

1. An Amendment E;
2. One (1) Replacement Sheet of Drawings;
3. Exhibit A; and
4. A return-receipt postcard to be returned to us with the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office filing stamp thereon.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees associated with the filing of this correspondence to Deposit Account Number **50-0426**.

PATENT AGENTS

AMY ODENBAUGH, PH.D.

LEON LEGLEITER, PH.D.

*LICENSED ONLY IN GA

Respectfully submitted,

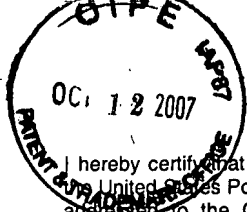
JENKINS, WILSON, TAYLOR & HUNT, P.A.

Richard E. Jenkins
Richard E. Jenkins
Registration No. 28,428

REJ/gwc

Enclosures

Customer No: 25297



I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to the Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on October 9, 2007.

PATENT

Gayle W Chaney
Gayle W. Chaney
Date of Signature 10/9/07

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Xiaoning Nie

Group Art Unit: 2183

Serial No.: 10/088,988

Examiner: Huisman, David J.

Filed: July 31, 2002

Docket No.: 1406/52

Confirmation No.: 9022

For: METHOD AND DEVICE FOR PROCESSING CONDITIONAL JUMP
INSTRUCTIONS IN A PROCESSOR WITH PIPELINED ARCHITECHTURE

AMENDMENT E

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is responsive to the Office Action dated August 29, 2007, having a term for response without extension by November 29, 2007. Favorable reconsideration is respectfully requested in view of the following Amendments and Remarks.